



Beam Dynamics Framework and Infrastructure

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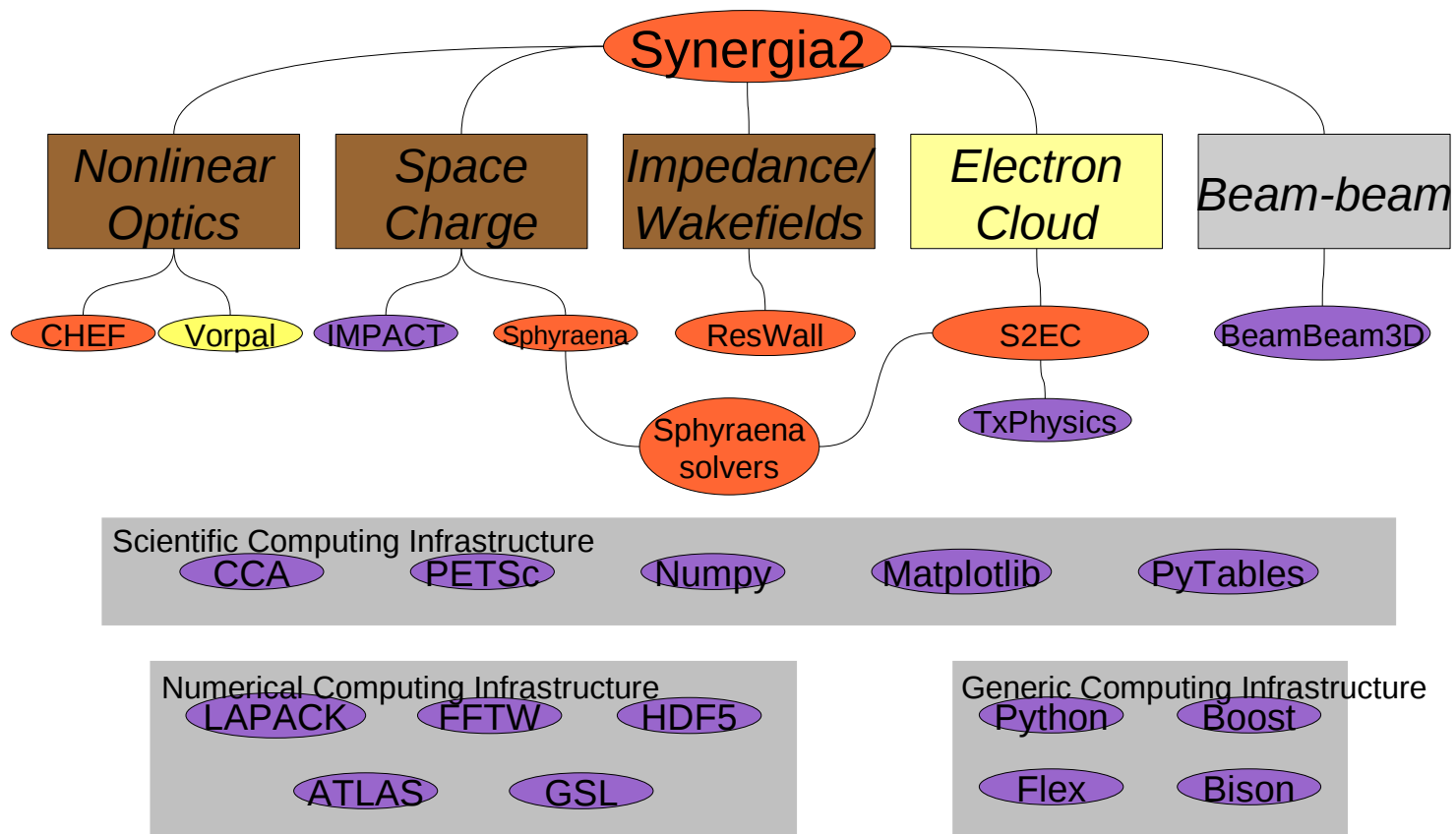
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- Solver development
- Performance and scaling
- Beam dynamics capability development
- Applications



Introduction

- Accelerator physics frameworks are a way to combine physics capabilities



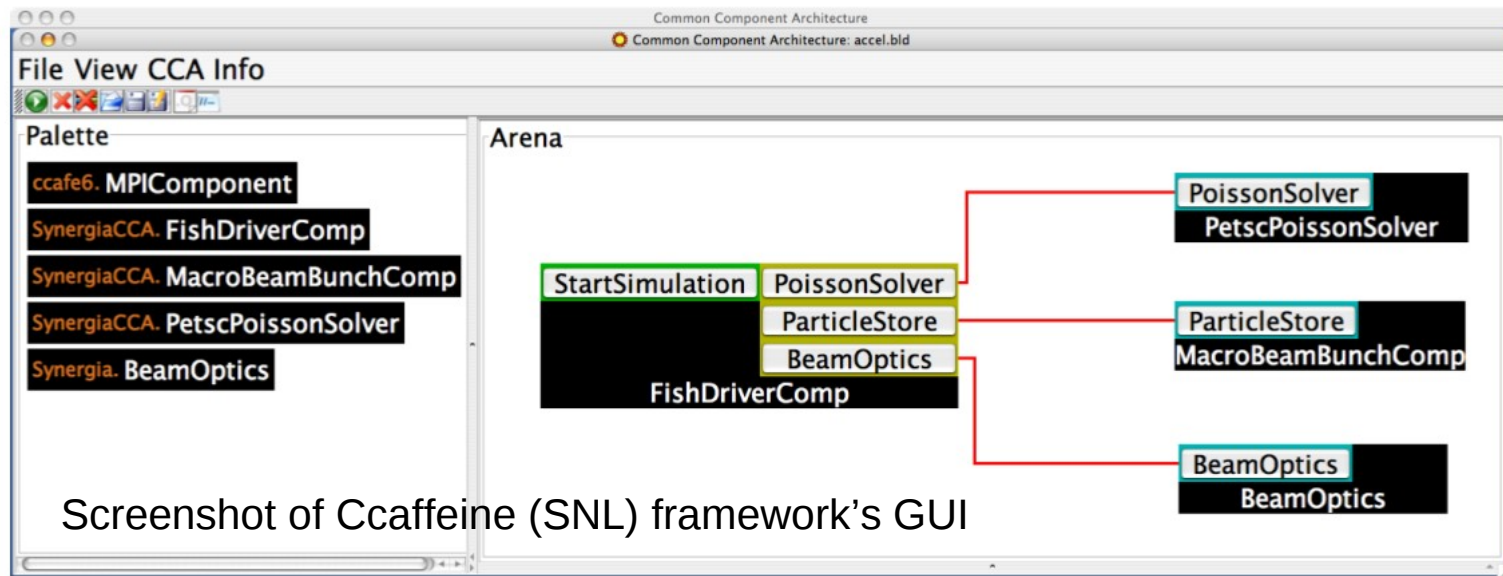
Component motivation

- Complexity of scientific software increases with simulation fidelity, multi-physics coupling, and computer power
- Common Component Architecture (CCA) component vision: Enable the HPC community to leverage existing applications, creating modular, reusable software components that facilitate the combined use of historically independent codes to add new capabilities (see www.cca-forum.org)
- Approach: Develop a prototype accelerator simulation from existing codes that were not originally designed to work together; leverage external math/cs tools developed by experts (TOPS/PERI)
- Long-term Goal: Foster a component community in computational accelerator physics, with emphasis on easily incorporating new algorithms and performance enhancements



Infrastructure: components prototype toolkit

- **Components:** interact only through well-defined interfaces
- **Ports:** interfaces through which components interact (*provides/uses* pattern)
- **Framework:** holds components while applications are assembled and executed, controls the connection of ports, provides services to components

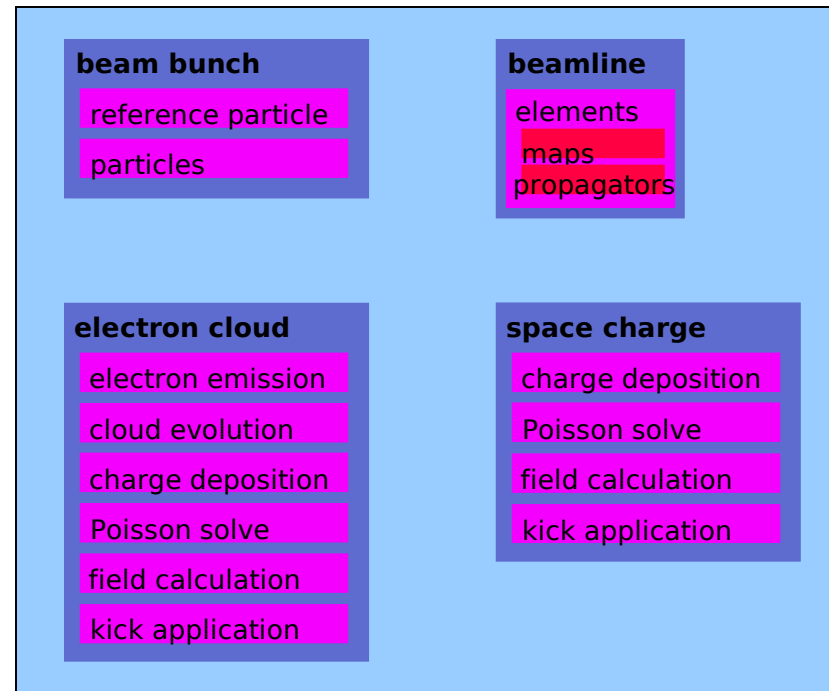


- **Key features of CCA components**
 - Programming language interoperability
 - Via SIDL/Babel (LLNL)
 - Dynamic composability
 - Encouragement of common interfaces
- **Sample simulations**
 - FODO cell demo
 - Apply space charge kick
 - Code at pcac.fnal.gov



Infrastructure: components defining interfaces

- **Refactoring Synergia2 and exploring interface issues for common functionalities**
 - Beam bunch
 - Demonstrated interchanging CHEF and MaryLie beamline components at the map level, even though beamline models themselves are very different
 - Beamline
 - Space charge
 - Synergia2 can use space charge modules from either IMPACT or Sphraena
 - Electron cloud
- **Challenges**
 - **Granularity:** Overheads that apply *per particle* get an extra factor of $\sim 10^7$
 - unacceptable ... use aggregation
 - **Parallel decomposition** of fields, etc., must be compatible: may force coarser granularity



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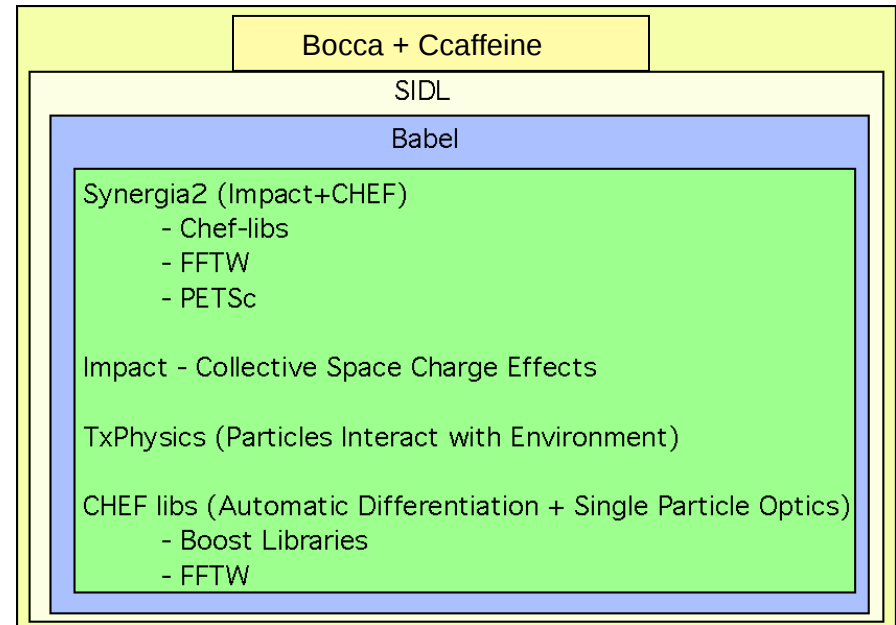


Infrastructure: components

CCA electron cloud

Beam Dynamics Toolkit

- F90-based beam **optics components** (quadrupoles and drifts) from the MaryLie/Impact application (LBNL)
- C++ and F90 **particle store components** from the Synergia2 framework (FNAL)
- A newly implemented C++-based **space charge solver**, Sphyræna, which uses Synergia2, PETSc (ANL), and FFTW
- C++ **ionization components** from TxPhysics (Tech-X)



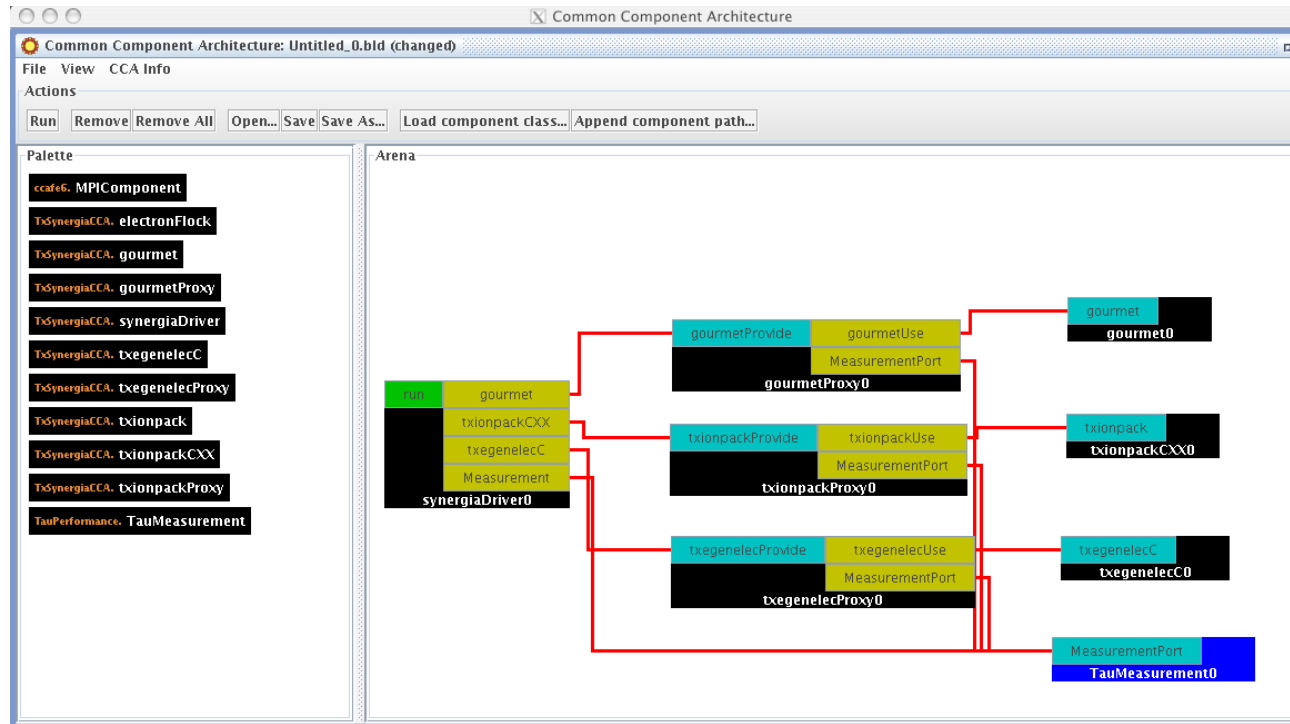
Uses CCA tools:

- **Bocca:** Creates skeletal structure for a component and its interfaces, including the entire build system
 - ComPASS provided feedback to Bocca developers on new functionality needed
- **SIDL/Babel:** Provides language interoperability



Infrastructure: components

CCA ecloud performance evaluation



- Validated performance of component and non-component codes
- Using automated performance proxy generation facilities available to all CCA components (via TAU, Univ. of Oregon, affiliated with PERI)
- Time for solvers and integrators dominates; ongoing work with TOPS to address solvers issues



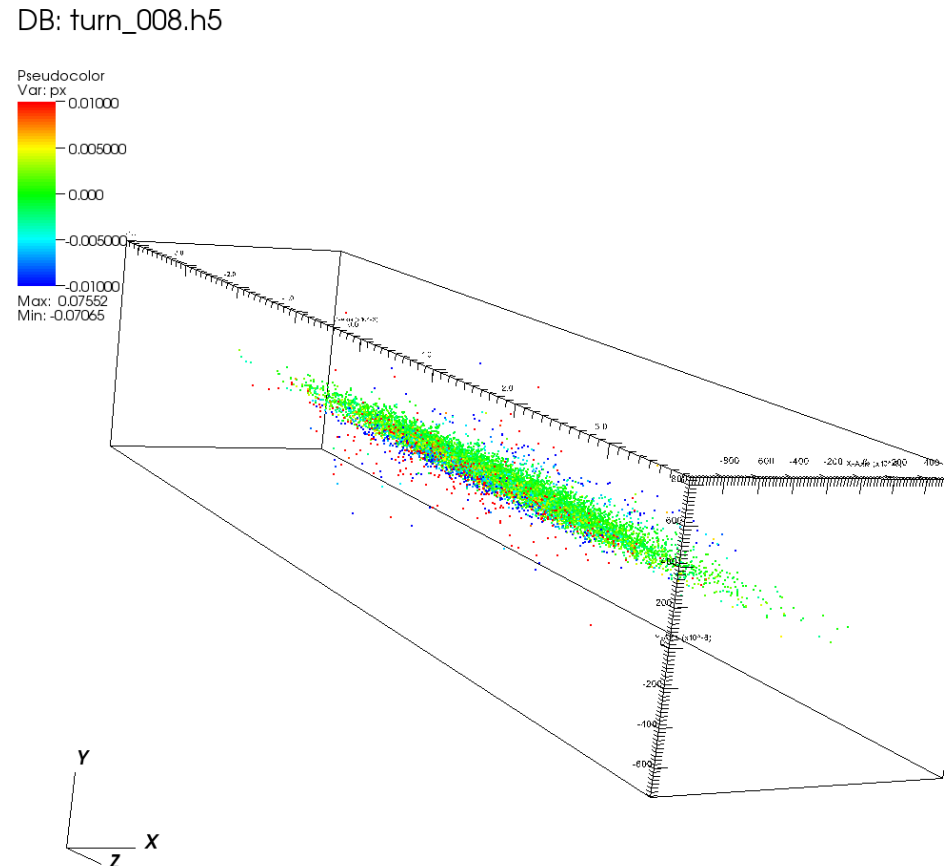
Infrastructure: components ongoing and future work

- Immediate priorities: Critical for ComPASS component integration
 - Collaborating with TASCs to address
 - Babel/SIDL interlanguage capabilities with struct support, broad support of Fortran compilers
 - Ability to run on leadership class facilities (including Cray XT4, BG/P)
 - Define new space charge interface (interchangeable use of several space charge algorithms)
 - Evaluate performance of original Synergia application and component variant on space charge applications
- Longer-term vision: Collaborate with TASCs, PERI, and TOPS to address issues in Computational Quality of Service (CQoS) for accelerator simulations,
 - How, during runtime, can we make make sound choices for reliability, accuracy, and performance, taking into account the problem instance and computational environment?
 - Composition: select initial component implementations and configuration parameters
 - Reconfiguration: change parameters
 - Substitution: change implementations



Infrastructure: visualization

- Advanced visualization is not useful in everyday work until conversion barriers can be overcome
- Collaboration with VisIt team has produced a VisIt Synergia plugin
 - Plugin code available in Synergia repository
 - Data format standards created
 - Particle data ready
 - Field data under development



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Porting: capability machines

- Porting issues are simplest for large, monolithic written in Fortran, C, or C++
- Multi-language frameworks provide more challenges
 - Synergia utilizes Python, C++, Fortran
- New machines have new complexities
 - Synergia ran on Seaborg
- Lack of shared library support on NERSC's Franklin a huge barrier
 - Porting not cost-effective at this point
- ALCF's Surveyor/Intrepid is a workable solution
 - Synergia recently ported
 - Integrating BG/P into Synergia workflow is a work in progress

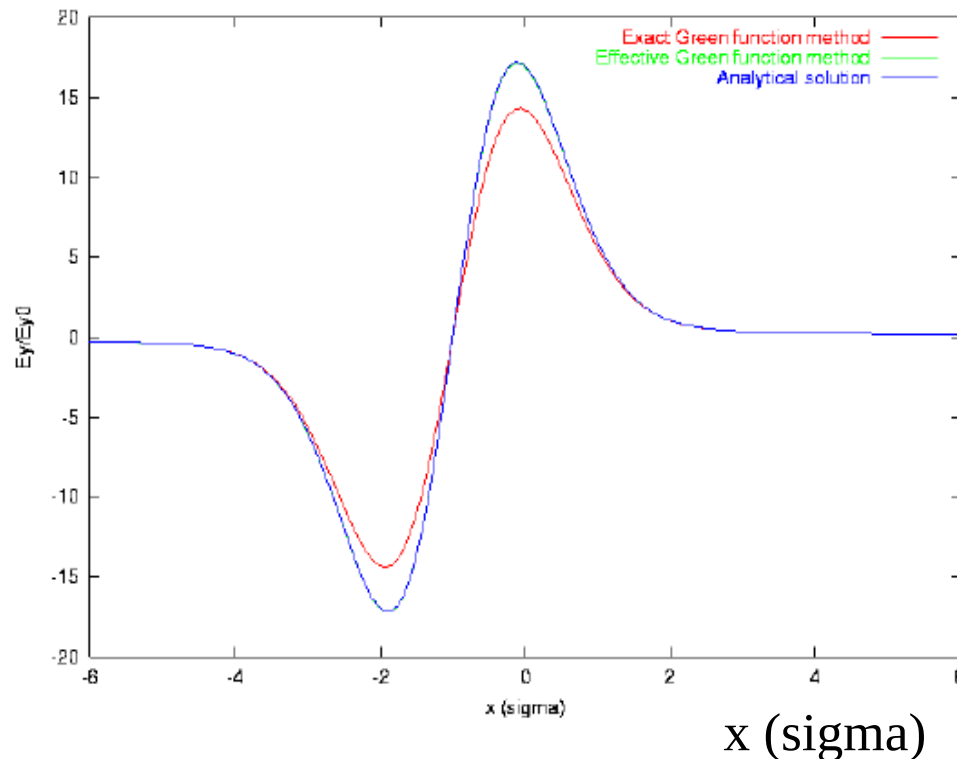


Solver development: integrated Green functions

Integrated Green function Algorithm for large aspect ratio:

$$\phi(r_i) = \sum_{i'=1}^{2N} G_i(r_i - r_{i'}) \rho_c(r_{i'})$$
$$G_i(r, r') = \oint G_s(r, r') dr'$$

E_y



x (sigma)



Solver development: Sphyraena

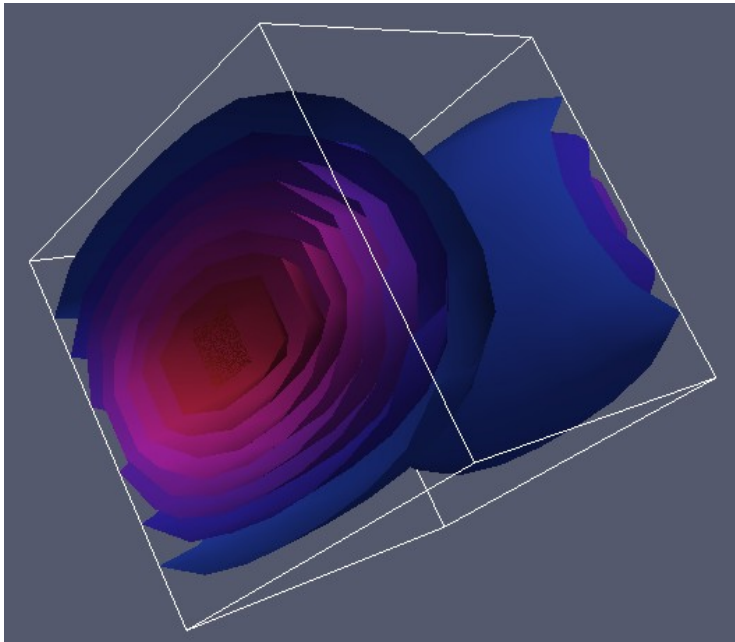
- Sphyraena is the native Synergia solver suite
 - Available for other applications
- 3D, open boundary conditions
 - FFT + Green Functions a la Hockney
 - FFTW
 - Interpolated Green Functions for high large aspect ratios
 - Optimized for $z \gg x, y$
- 3D, closed cylindrical boundary conditions
 - FFT (z,theta), finite difference in r
 - FFTW
- 3D, closed elliptical boundary conditions
 - Finite differences, stretched grid



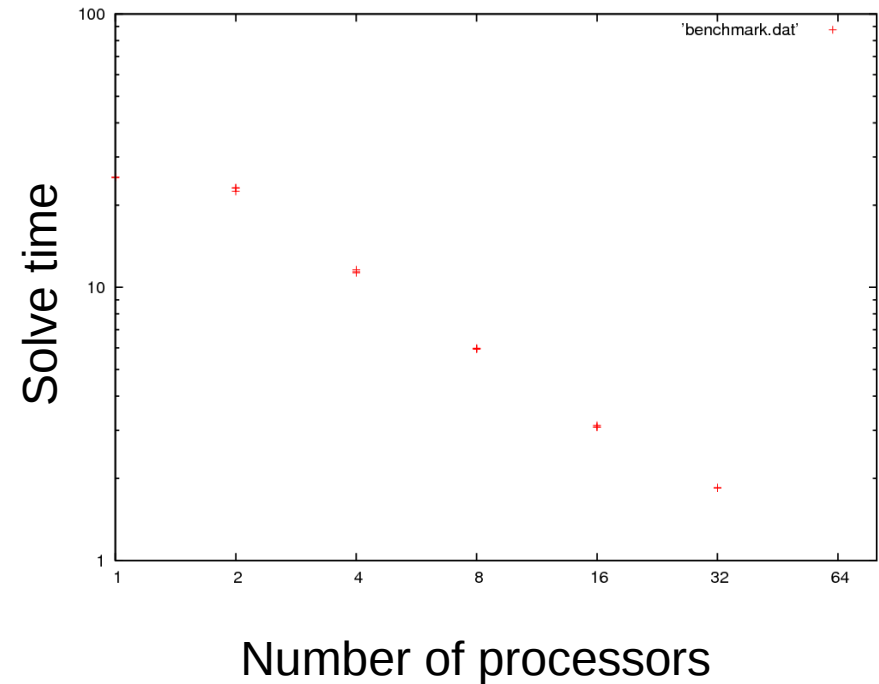
Solver development: Sphyraena elliptical solver

- New, finite-difference based elliptical solver
 - Uses PETSc

Field solution for benchmark problem



excellent parallel scaling performance
provided by PETSc libraries



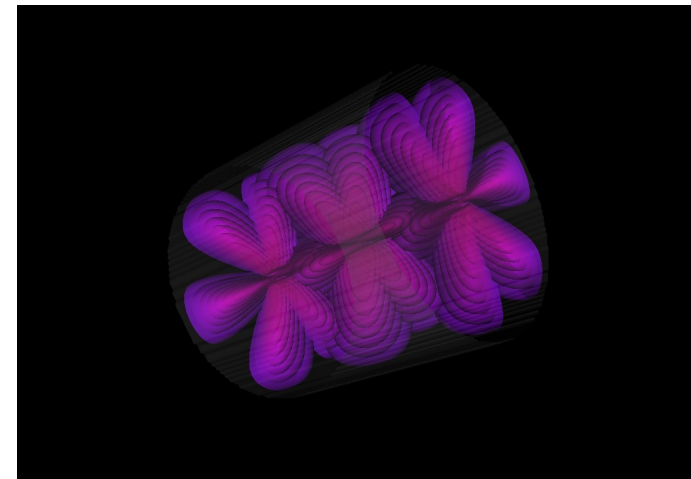
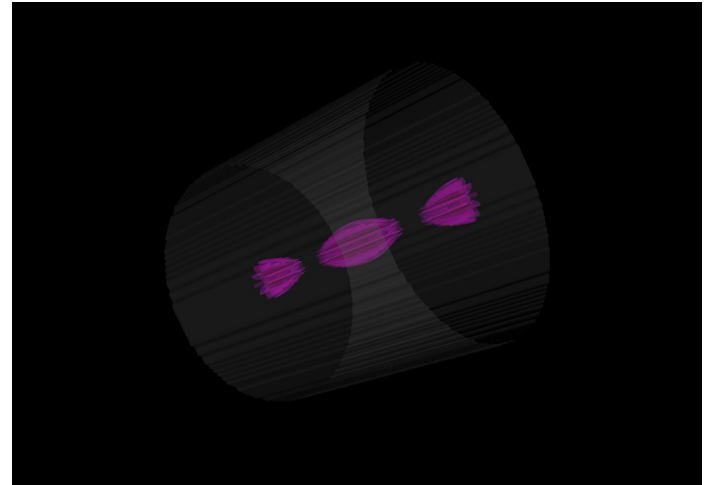
Solver development: testing

- *Full* testing of 3D solvers is not trivial
- Take a non-trivial charge density

$$\rho(r, \theta, z) = \frac{\left[\left((18 r_0^2 - 14 r^2) \sin^2(3\theta) + (18 r^2 - 18 r_0^2) \cos^2(3\theta) \right) \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi z}{z_0}\right) z_0^2 + (2 \pi^2 r^4 - 2 \pi^2 r^2 r_0^2) \sin^2(3\theta) \sin^2\left(\frac{\pi z}{z_0}\right) + (2 \pi^2 r^2 r_0^2 - 2 \pi^2 r^4) \sin^2(3\theta) \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi z}{z_0}\right) \right]}{(r^2 r_0^2 z_0^2)}$$

- ... and produce a test in all coordinates

$$\phi(r, \theta, z) = \left(1 - \frac{r^2}{r_0^2}\right) \sin^2(3\theta) \cos^2\left(\pi \frac{z}{z_0}\right)$$

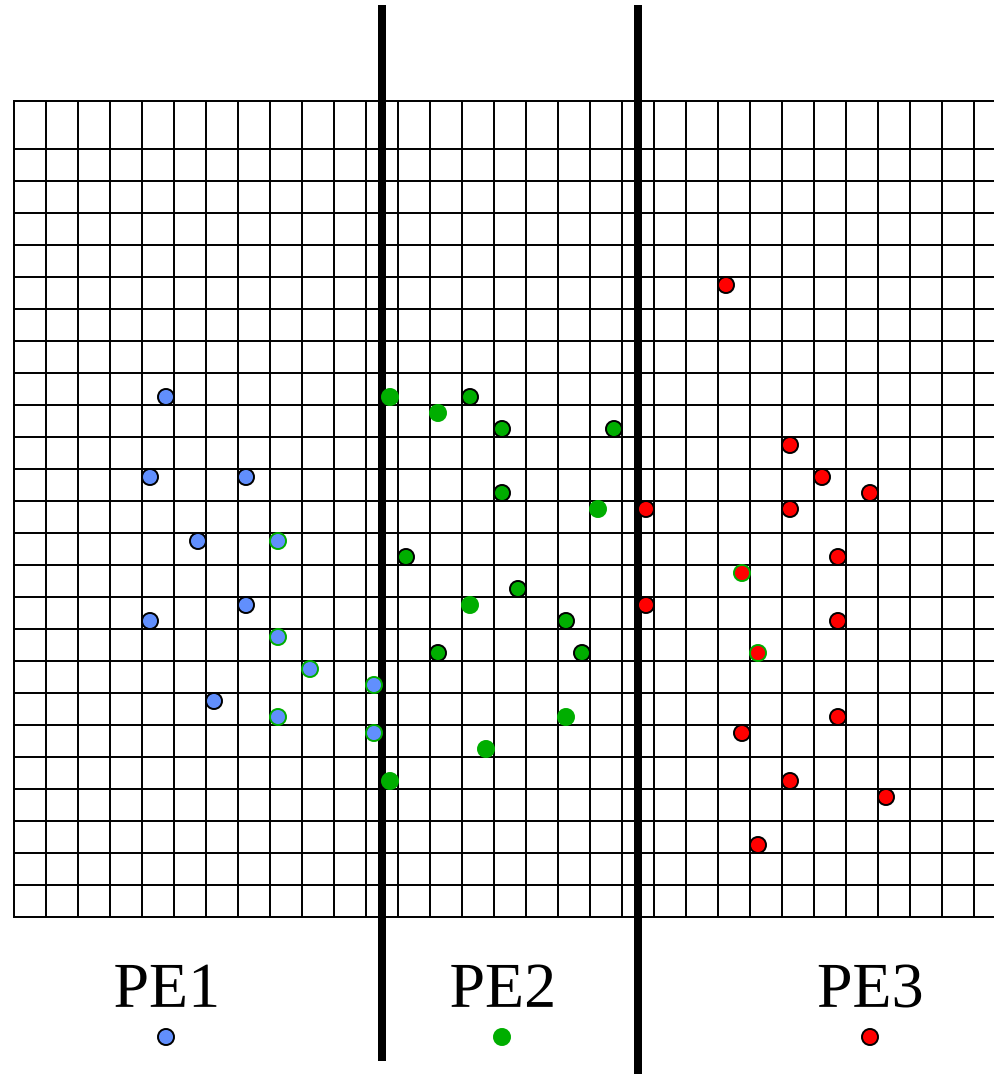


Solver development: future

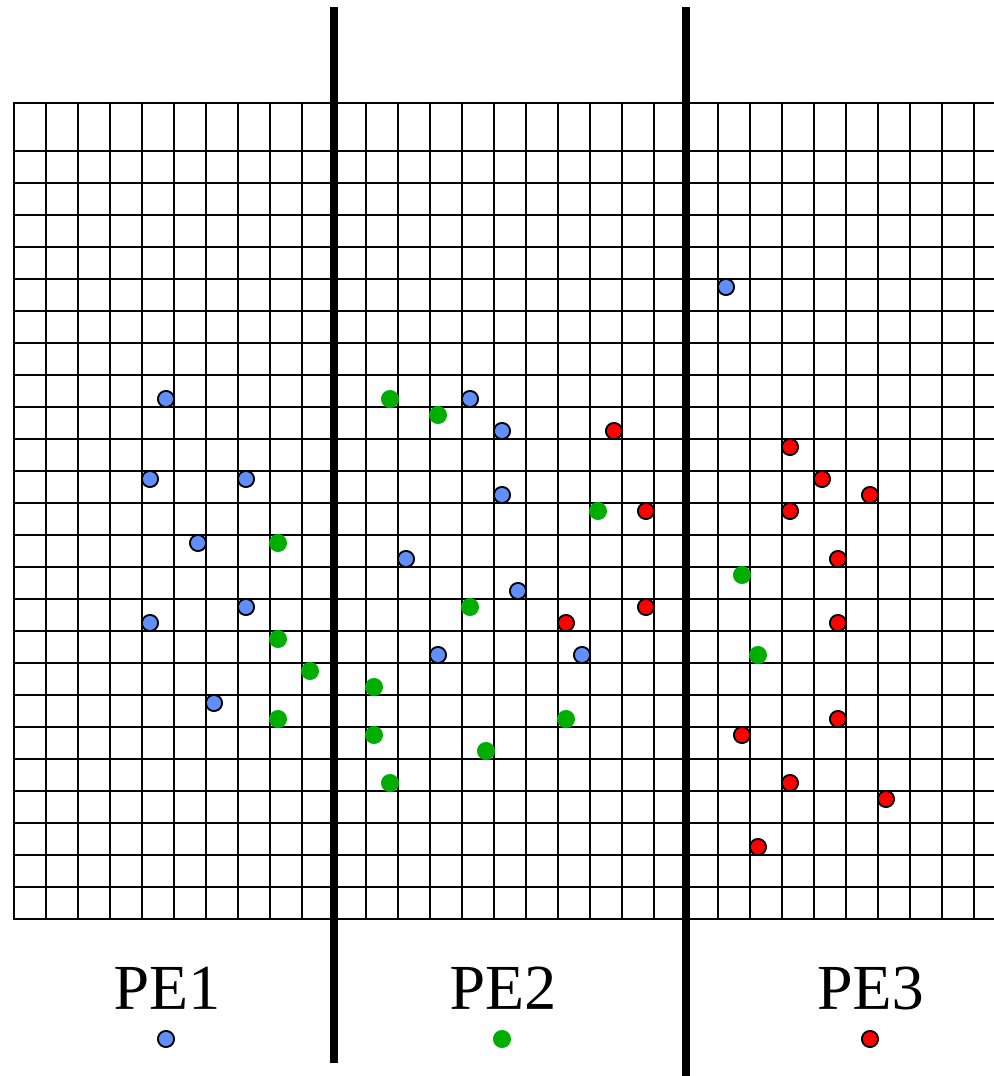
- Expand boundary conditions
 - Further optimize elliptical case
- Expect to benefit from PERI optimization work
 - New postdoc
 - Collaboration with Sheri Lee has already produced substantial improvements in IMPACT
- Optimize parallelization schemes
 - Compare with other solver implementations
- Other algorithmic improvements
 - Ongoing research



Scaling and performance: domain decomposition

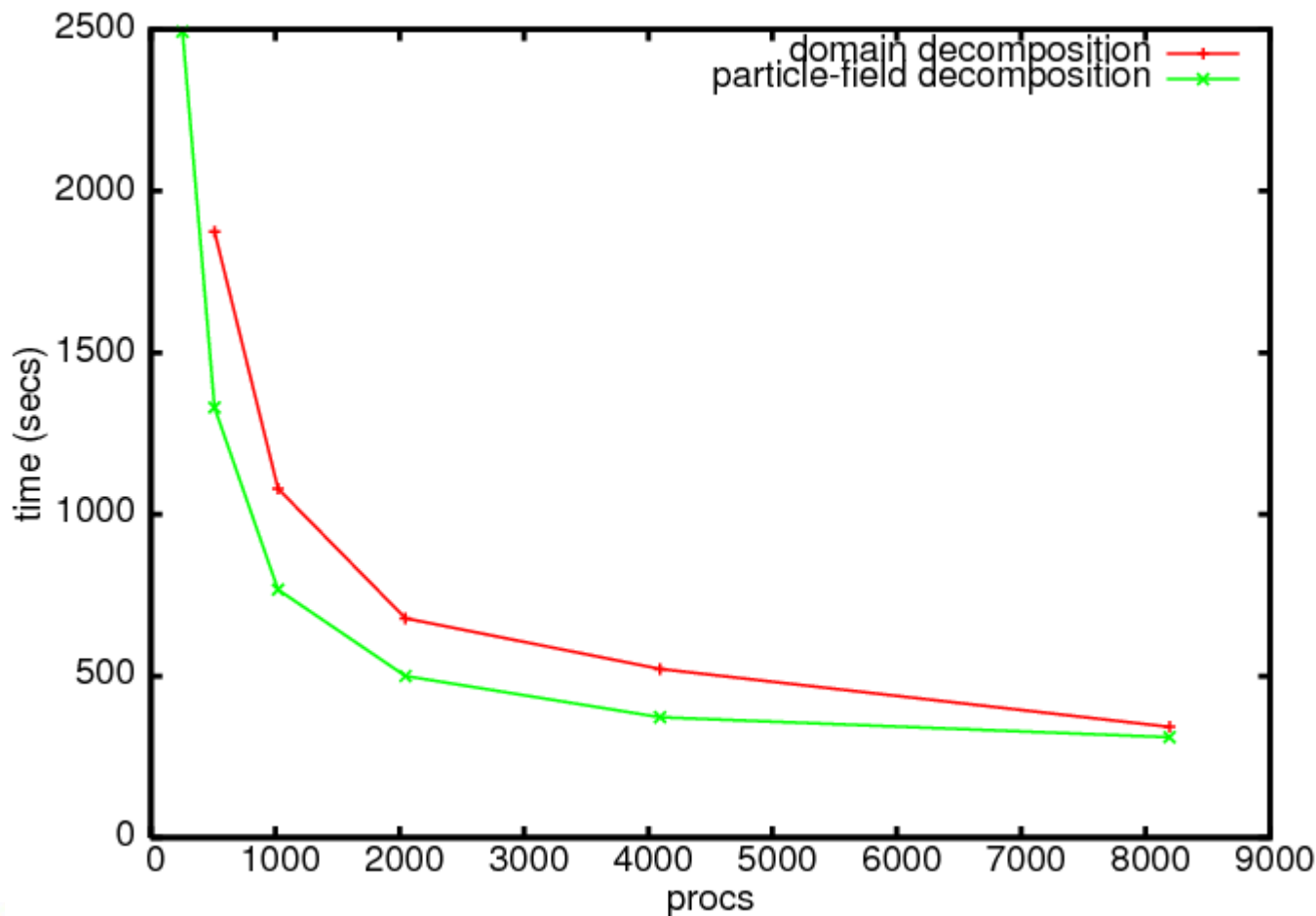


Scaling and performance: particle and field decomposition



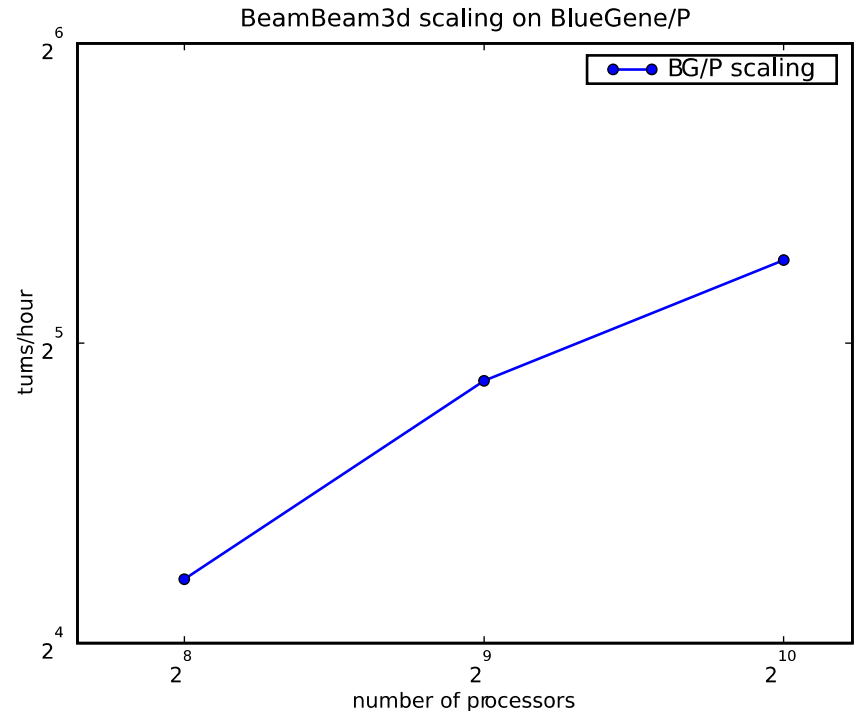
Scaling and performance: decomposition scheme comparison

Strong scaling study on Cray XT



Scaling and performance

- Parallel scaling of BeamBeam3D on ALCF's Intrepid
- Some simulations require many time steps, but can be utilize “small” grids ($O(10^6)$ degrees of freedom)
 - Example: BeamBeam simulation
 - 800 hrs on Intrepid to simulate 1 sec in Tevatron
 - Effect of interest develops over 15 min
 - Simple solver improvements will not increase scalability by orders of magnitude
 - Not enough degrees of freedom



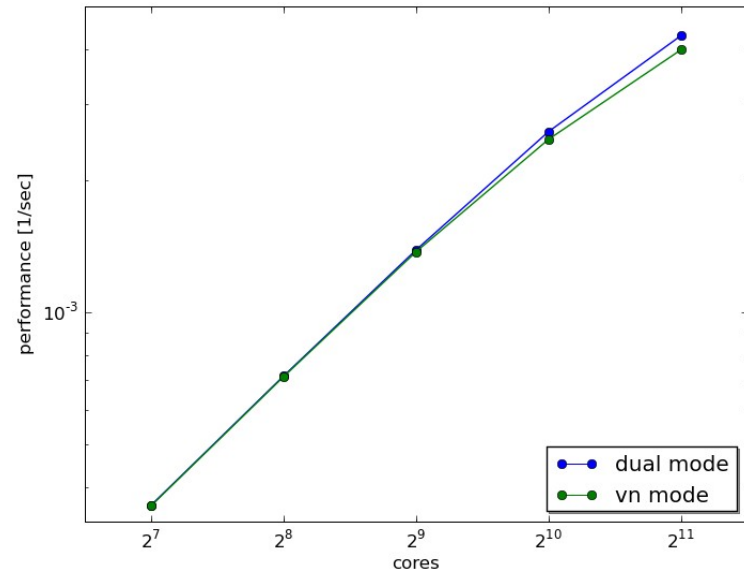
- Algorithmic improvements are necessary



Scaling and performance, continued

- Strong scaling results from Synergia on Surveyor (ALCF)

- 64x64x1024 grid, 200M particles



- Weak scaling results from IMPACT-T on Franklin (NERSC)

# processors	time (sec)	mesh size	macroparticles (billions)	efficiency
1000	307.5	64x128x128	1.25	1.0
2000	308.7	64x128x256	2.5	0.996
4000	316.4	64x256x256	5	0.972
8000	320.8	64x256x512	10	0.958
16000	346.6	64x256x1024	20	0.887



Capability development: resistive wall

- Developed for BeamBeam3D simulations of Tevatron
- Dipole component of resistive-wall wakefields
- Includes true multiple bunch implementation in Synergia2
 - Bunches are coupled only through resistive wall
- Kicks are applied to each particle from all earlier slices

$$\frac{\Delta \vec{p}_{\perp}}{p} = \frac{2}{\pi b^3} \sqrt{\frac{4\pi\epsilon_0 c}{\sigma}} \frac{N_j r_p \langle \vec{r}_j \rangle}{\beta\gamma} \frac{L}{\sqrt{z_{ij}}}$$



Capability development: electron cloud

- Electron cloud module under development
 - Electron production
 - TxPhysics
 - Cloud evolution
 - Single-particle transport currently being benchmarked against Vorpal
 - Beam-cloud interaction
 - Sphyraena solver
 - Preliminary componentization completed
- Development paused in order to devote resources to current priorities
 - See Applications



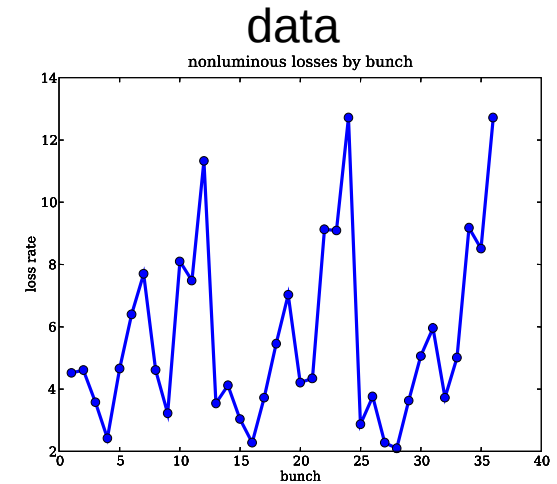
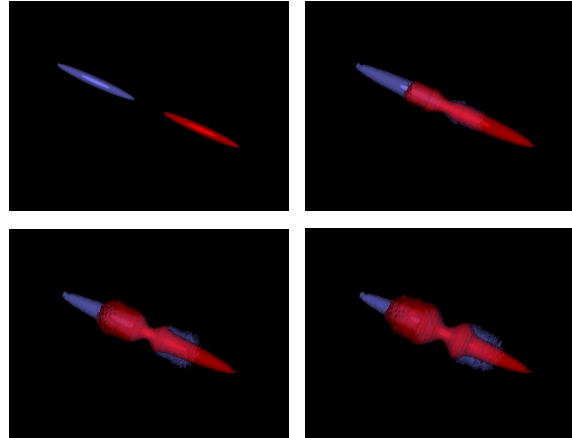
Applications

- From the proposal
 - Run II
 - Tevatron
 - ILC
 - Ring To Main Linac (RTML)
 - Damping Ring
 - Dropped due to shift in community priorities
- New priorities
 - Project X
 - Main Injector
 - Debuncher (Mu2e)

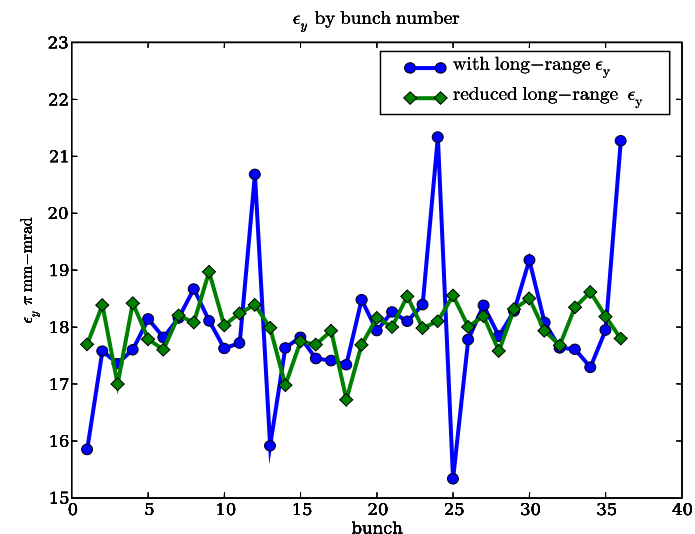


Applications: Tevatron

- Multi-physics simulations
 - Beam-beam
 - Resistive Wall
 - Chromaticity
- Large problem: 36x36 bunches
- Run at NERSC and ALCF
 - Stability a problem at NERSC
 - ALCF working well

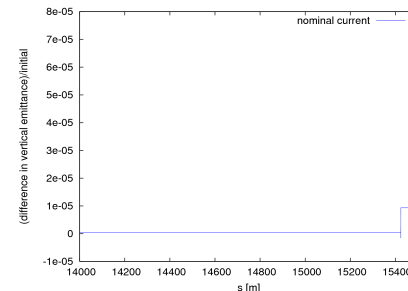
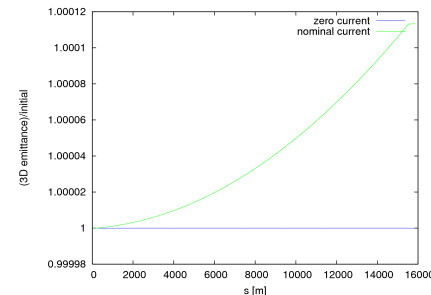
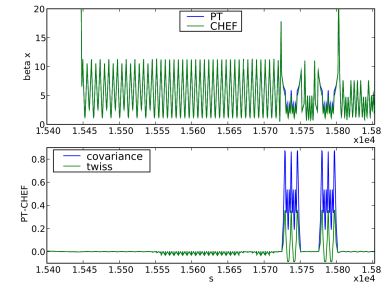


Simulation with and without mitigation



Applications: ILC

- Space charge in the return to main linac (RTML) line was a pressing question in ILC design
- Performed simulations with Synergia2
 - Significant effort in reproducing optics parameters
 - Final report presented to ILC designers
 - Space charge not a show-stopper



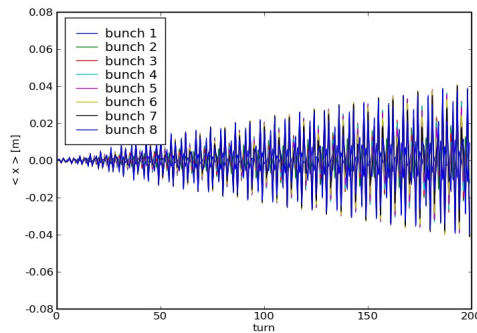
Applications: Project X

- With the sudden cuts in ILC funding, Project X has become a main priority for ComPASS
 - Main Injector
 - Debuncher
- The accelerator physics challenges of the intensity frontier are exactly those that the ComPASS applications are designed to address
 - Multi-physics
 - Space charge
 - Resistive Wall
 - Electron cloud
 - Multi-scale
 - Size: beam size vs. magnet/pipe size, etc.
 - Time: accelerator cycle vs. cloud growth vs. microwave propagation, etc.

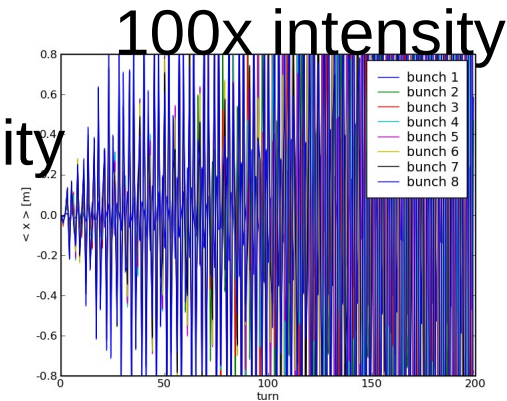


Applications: Main Injector resistive wall

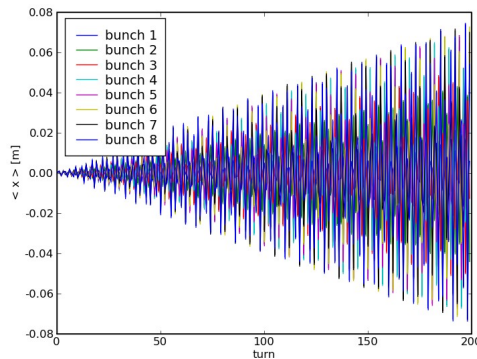
- Testing ground for new resistive wall module
- Well-known issue in Main Injector



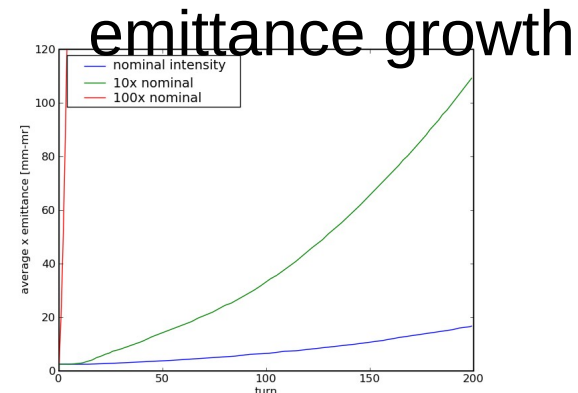
nominal intensity



100x intensity



10x intensity

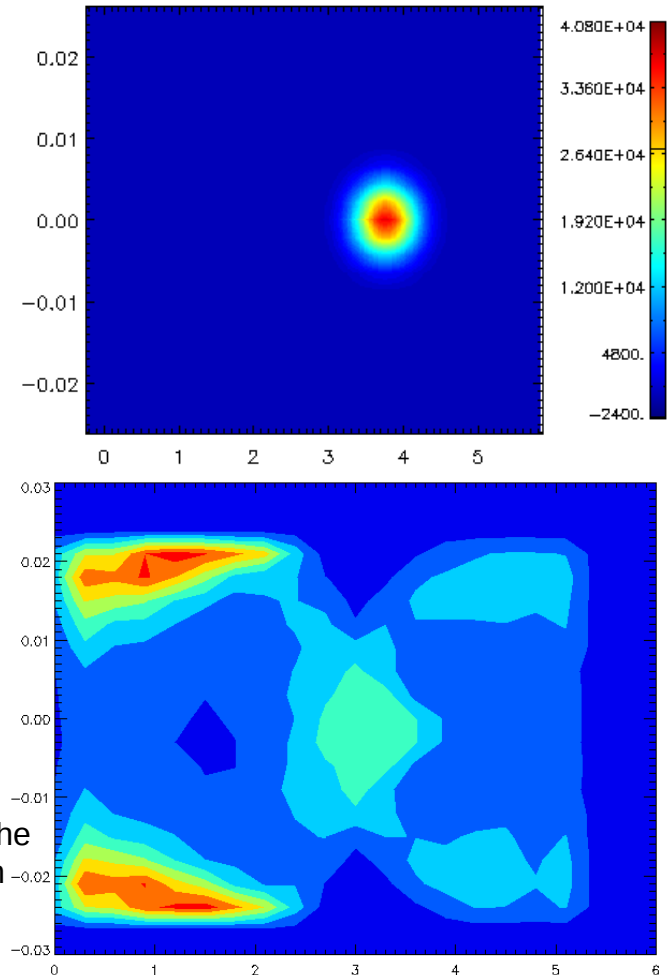


emittance growth



Applications: Microwave electron cloud detector in the Main Injector

- New request
 - Simulate microwave propagation (electron cloud detector apparatus) in the Main Injector
 - Multi-scale and Multi-physics problem well-suited to VORPAL
 - Fermilab-TechX collaboration

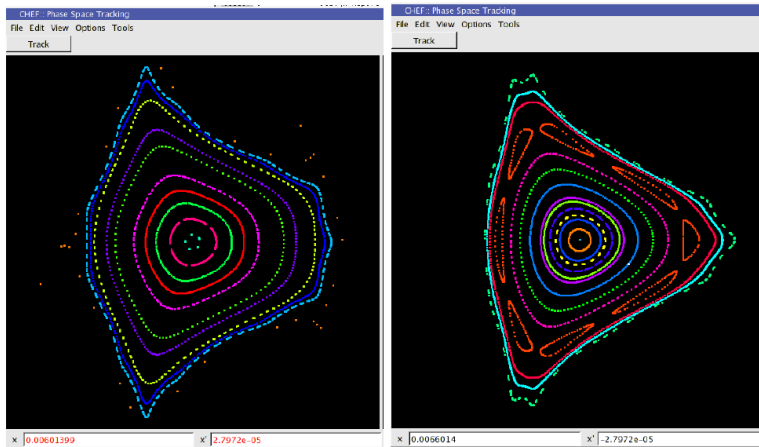


Pictures from Vorpall showing an instant snap-shot of the electron cloud multipacting process. X along the beam axis. Y is the vertical axis. Top: the current density along the x axis, and corresponds to a 8 GeV, 5×10^{11} protons bunch, with a Gaussian profile in all 3 direction. Bottom: density/color map of the electrons, on the X-Y plane.

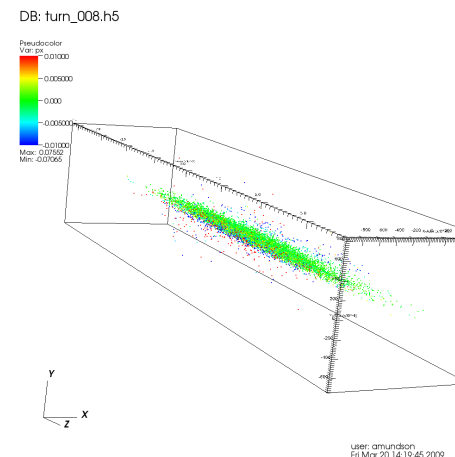


Applications: Debuncher (Mu2e)

- Mu2e project requires switching Debuncher from low-intensity antiproton beam to high-intensity proton beam (10^5 intensity increase)
- Proposed resonant extraction requires highly-nonlinear lattice



Stroboscopic plots of nonlinear lattice



VisIt visualization of bunch at beginning
Of resonant extraction

